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For: METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR  
EFFECTUATING A LASTING CHANGE IN  
A NEURAL-FUNCTION OF A PATIENT

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Examiner: A. M. Alter

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Madam:

During a telephone conference with the Examiner on April 13, 2009 regarding the above-referenced application, the Examiner indicated the possibility of issuing a non-statutory double-patenting rejection. Without commenting on or conceding the merits of such a rejection were it to be issued, and in an effort to expedite prosecution of the application, Applicant herewith encloses a Terminal Disclaimer referencing pending U.S. Patent Application 11/355,038. Applicant also submits the Terminal Disclaimer fee under 37 CFR 1.20(d).

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 50-0665, under Order No. 337348046US.

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